

ARGUMENT IN ROBERTS CASE

A. S. Macdonald and Miss Tucker Agreed to a Double Ceremony.

When Augustin McDonald and Miss Maud Tucker walked down the aisle of St. Paul's Church on New Year's evening they were already husband and wife.

That fact, however, was only known to a half-dozen members of the families of the parties concerned.

Some time previous to the ceremony at St. Paul's Church Mr. McDonald and Miss Tucker were quietly married by a Catholic priest, and it was desired that this fact should be kept a secret, as it only concerned the young people and was strictly a family affair.

Mr. McDonald, as well as all the members of his family, belong to the Catholic Church, and it was desired that the young man should follow the religious laws laid down by his church.

Mrs. Tucker, the mother of the bride, had no objection to her daughter being married by a Catholic priest, but she disapproved that such a marriage should be supplemented by a ceremony performed by a Protestant Episcopal Minister.

So it was arranged that the private marriage should be conducted by a Catholic priest, and the public ceremony by a Protestant Episcopal Minister.

The arrangement pleased everybody concerned, and it was understood that the Catholic ceremony took place some time before the Episcopal service.

"Yes, it is true that two ceremonies were performed," said Mrs. Tucker. "Mr. McDonald and all his people are Catholics. He desired to conform to the faith so they were first married by a Catholic priest."

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The House adjourned at 12:30 p. m., adjourned until Monday.

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The wife of the late General Joseph G. Walsh of Alameda has been died for probate by his widow, Mrs. Margaret J. Walsh, who is named executrix without bond.

Walsh died January 7th, 1896, and was witnessed by Daniel Titus and F. B. Titus of San Francisco. The estate is valued at about \$6,000, consisting of stocks in various corporations.

Associated Press Dispatches by
The Tribune's Special Sealed Wire

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—At the opening of today's session of the Senate Mr. Beveridge (Indiana) presented the following resolution:

"That the Philippine Islands are hereby declared to be under the direct control of the United States."

and mortgages, \$25,000; cash, \$5,000, and real estate, \$10,000.

The heirs and devisees are the following children: Mary A. Bradley, Joseph Wall, Edward Wall, Edward C. Wall, George C. Wall, William Wall, Carlton Wall, and William Wall, the latter two being minors.

There are six children of the six children who are of age are left each one-sixth of the following property: Sixty shares of the stock of the Hawaiian Water and Dock Co., fifty shares of stock of the Spring Valley Water Co., twenty shares of stock of the Hawaiian Life Insurance Co., 250 shares of stock of the Hawaiian Lumber Co., 15 shares of stock of the Hawaiian Electric Co., and 10 shares of the London P. & A. Bank Limited. The other two-eighths of the stock is bequeathed to the minor children, and when they become of age. The residuary is to be divided equally among the minor children. In his will the testator states that he reposes great confidence in his wife and desires that she should be permitted his wife to consult with him freely in regard to matters connected with the estate.

By the terms of the will Daniel Titus of San Francisco is appointed attorney for the estate.

In conclusion the will states that the testator owned a one-half interest in the Hawaiian Islands, and that it was his intention the United States to retain it as such, and to establish and maintain such governmental control throughout the archipelago as the situation may demand.

The resolution adopted that the resolution lay upon the table until next Tuesday, when he will speak up on it.

Mr. Cullum, from the Committee on Resolutions then reported the bill providing a government for the Hawaiian Islands, with an appendix.

A message from the President was read transmitting the testimony taken by the commission appointed to investigate the conduct of the war by the War Department.

A resolution was presented by Mr. Pettibone calling upon the Secretary of the Navy for the report of Admiral Dewey of April 13, 1898, in which the Admiral said he could take Manila at any time.

Mr. Spooner objected and the resolution went over.

Mr. Spooner offered a resolution, which was adopted, reducing the mileage fees to be paid witnesses in cases before the Senate, and the mileage to be paid for actual traveling expenses. This will re-

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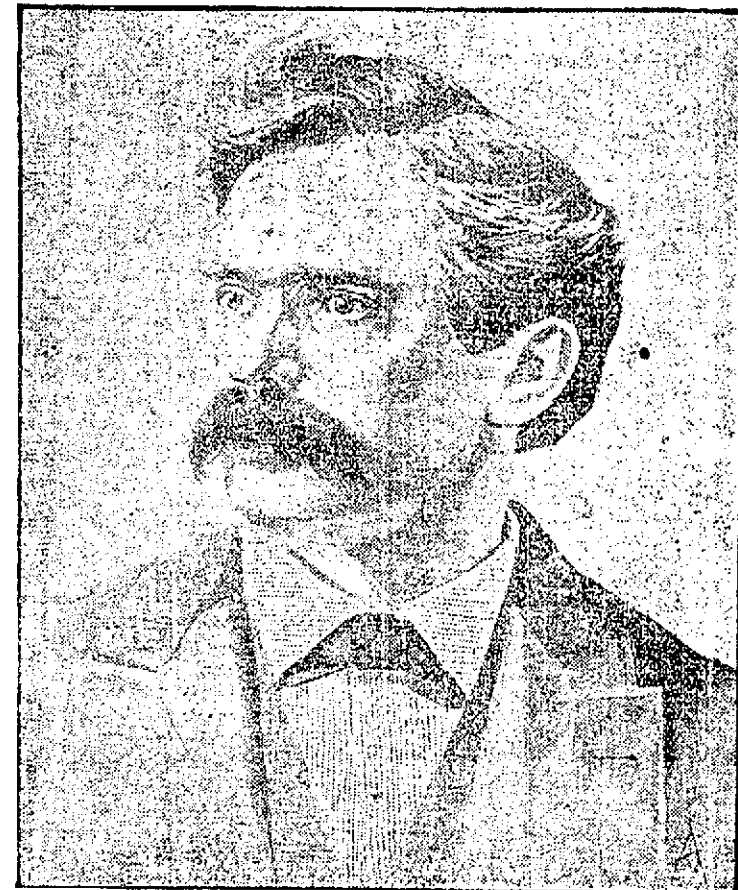
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CONGRESSMAN-ELECT ROBERTS.

Contention That House Has Right to Bar Him as to Shut Out a Leper.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 4.—The Roberts Investigating Committee resumed its sessions today for the purpose of hearing arguments and bringing the inquiry to a final conclusion. It was expected that ex-Secretary John C. Carlisle would be asked to sum up the case against the Roberts, and that Mr. Roberts, unusually, would make the argument in his own behalf. Word came from Mr. Carlisle, however, that he had not understood his personal presence was desired, but he was asked to appear to make arguments on only of the questions involved.

Chairman Taylor (Ohio) stated that a statement by Mr. Carlisle, which had been received, but as Mr. Roberts declined to admit it in an informal manner, it would have to be taken up later.

Mr. Roberts said he wished to see the minutes of witnesses appearing against him, included a published card signed by him, and a letter from the attorney giving them out certain information relative to Roberts; also court records, in which he had been named. Mr. Roberts also offered a telegram from the proprietors of the Salt Lake and concerning the testimony of McDade, which excluded the telegram, however, saying that it was not given to him properly in receiving a telegram from him, and that Mr. Roberts' refusal to admit the statement was not a confession.

dependent and ended his life. A funeral will be held tomorrow. The deceased was unmarried.

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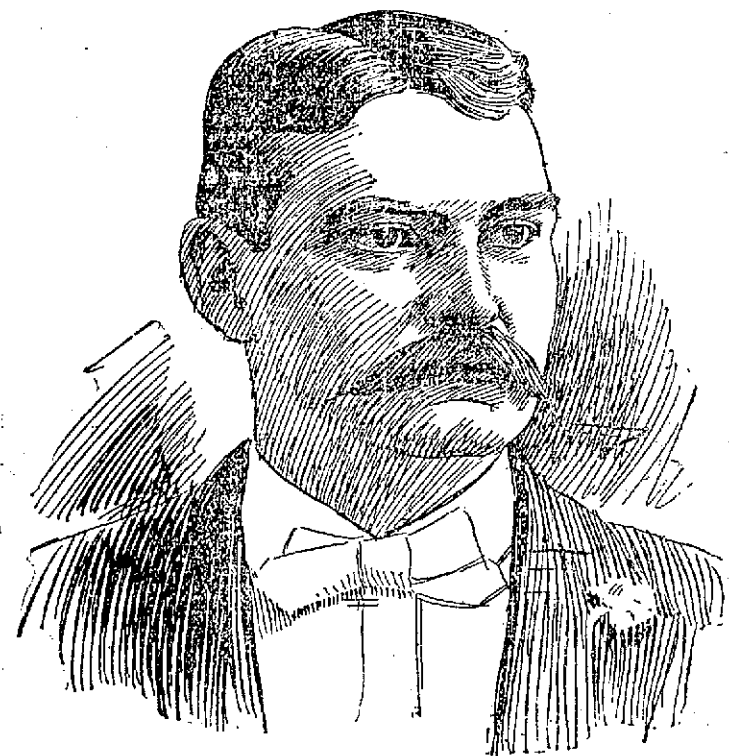
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MAJOR DUNN IS CALLING THE ROLL



MAJOR JAMES P. DUNN.

Many Members of His Once Fine Hospital
Corps Now Counted Among
the Missing.

The return of the militia regiments of the State from the war in the Philippines and garrison duty in various parts on the Coast has enabled a systematic move to be made toward the reorganization of the National Guard of California in all the arms of the service.

In the military branch the work of reorganizing the commands has already been carried to quite an extent, and now the work of re-creating the surgical and medical department or sanitary corps line has been reached.

When the war broke out Dr. James P. Dunn of this city was surgeon of the 15th Infantry, N. G. C., with the rank of Major. Attached to the regiment was a Hospital Corps comprising a number of bright and studious young men. As fellow officers to Major Dunn were Doctors Hamlin and Pointer.

All the members of the corps are now either in service or in prison in the Philippines or have fallen before the bullets of the Filipinos.

The move to revive the hospital corps has brought an order to Major Dunn, requiring him to report to Division Headquarters immediately in a number of respects, and the report which the Major will make will show how the war has interfered with the equipment and the efficiency of the force.

The doctor has been ordered to make a complete list of supplies belonging to the Sanitary Corps in his possession or under his control, and the condition of the same. To this his answer will be that he has supplies of no kind belonging to the corps.

He has also been ordered to forward the names of non-commissioned officers and privates of the same corps under his command or those desiring to be discharged, and to this his answer will be that there are neither non-commissioned officers nor privates under his command who desire to be discharged.

There is also wanted a list of officers, non-commissioned officers and privates who entered the volunteer service, the date they entered the service, those who have not reported for duty and whether or not they desire to return to the Guard. A similar answer will be returned to this feature of the order.

The work of reorganization of the corps is being carried out under the direction of William D. McCarthy, Colonel and Surgeon, Division N. G. C., acting as the Surgeon-General.

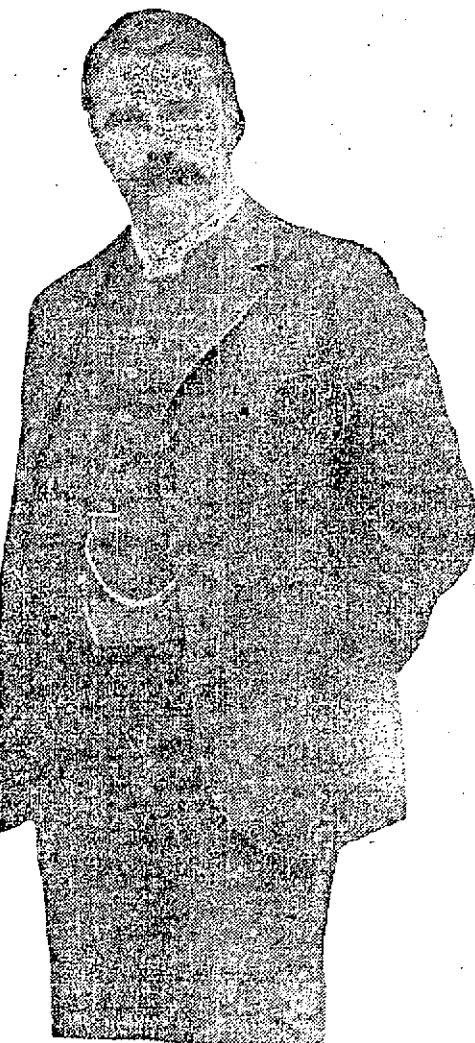
Major Dunn's report on these points will doubtless be followed shortly by another order calling for recruits for the service, which has been so generally affected by the late and present war.

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WILL HAVE A CHINESE FUNERAL



REV. DR. FRED J. MASTERS.

Christian Chinese Will Honor Memory of the Man They Loved So Well.

The funeral of the late Rev. Frederick J. Masters, who died on Tuesday last in Berkeley, will take place tomorrow afternoon from the First M. E. Church in this city. This will be done for the purpose of giving to the remains of the deceased the honor which he had merited by a life of rare devotion to principle and to the cause of Christianity among the people of foreign climes.

Rev. Mr. Masters for the past twelve years had been in charge of the society on the Pacific Coast having at heart the interests of Chinese Christians.

In the furtherance of that society and in looking after the missions under its charge, he became known to and was appreciated by hundreds of self-sacrificing people and was especially beloved of the Christian Chinese, who owed their conversion, in a great degree, to Mr. Masters' efforts.

The holding of the funeral at the First M. E. Church, therefore, will give these people an opportunity of testifying to the love and esteem which they bore the deceased.

In connection with the regular funeral exercises peculiar to the M. E. Church, there will also be a ceremony in which the Chinese customs in such cases will be exemplified. In this feature many Chinese will take part. It is expected also that a number of Christian Chinese from various parts of the State will attend. The eulogy, it is understood, will be delivered by a Chinese minister, and the life of the deceased will be commented on by the editor of the California Christian Advocate. Brother ministers of the deceased will act as pall-bearers.

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TROUBLE OVER THE CONTRACT.

Lake Dredging Matter
Is Not Settled
Yet.

Peterson Threatens to Stop
Work Under Certain
Conditions.

At the request of Mayor Snow, the Board of Public Works yesterday afternoon considered this communication regarding the completion of the dredging of Lake Merritt, but no action was taken. It was virtually agreed, however, that Contractor Peterson would be given definite orders within a week. We have therefore decided that some action be taken by the board, or that the matter be referred to the City Council and the civil bodies that are interested in the matter. City Engineer Clement said there was yet a certain amount of mud to be deposited south of the Twelfth street dam and likewise in the northeast and northwest arms of the lake. The original specifications were to be carried out. Mayor Snow said that the original specifications had never been changed, and City Attorney Dow stated that, while such was the case, the Board had reserved the right to denote where the mud should be placed.

Then the Mayor said that the contractor could use up the remainder of the money in the fund and dredge all the lake if he dumped the mud in the northeast or northwest arm of the lake, but that if he should continue to dredge into the space between the Twelfth street dam and the Eighth street bridge he could neither complete the work of dredging the lake to a uniform depth of four feet, nor complete the filling in of that space with the present funds.

"I don't seem to me that the situation has changed," said Dow. "There is no less money than we expected, and the contract has not been changed. We have the alternative of placing it in one place or the other."

Mayor Snow explained that Peterson thought he could not get his money if he did not complete the contract, which called for the dredging of the entire lake.

"Peterson," said Dow, "drew up the contract and they said before this Board that they were satisfied with it and would take their chances about getting the money. Still, when the money is all exhausted, we could not give Peterson a certificate that the contract had been completed. But they were willing to take the contract on their own responsibility."

"Well," said the Mayor, "it is now a question where to expend the rest of the money. If the mud is placed south of the Twelfth street dam, the entire lake dredged, and it is also a fact that what is taken out of the lake to a uniform depth of four feet, and what we have been ordered to do. It is my understanding that Peterson will quit now if we order this mud south of the dam, and I think we ought to talk him before the Board."

Peterson was then summoned and said he would rather not continue and take his chances of getting the money. He thought it would be easier to quit and take his money on having the contract declared illegal.

"But here is the contract," said Dow, "and we stand on it. We certainly expect you to do the same. However, I will be ready to reach a decision within a week, and I suppose you will go on dredging until that time."

Peterson replied that he would continue the work, and the matter was then laid aside until that time.

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At a public meeting of veterans held on Tuesday evening, the following resolutions, introduced by E. W. Woodward, Past Senior Vice Department Commander of the G. A. R. of California and Nevada, were adopted:

"Whereas, On the 19th day of December, 1890, Major-General Henry W. Lawton, who in the Philippine Islands held duty at the storming of San Mateo, in the Philippines, was instantly killed;

"Resolved, That the death of General Lawton, a noble and gallant soldier, a brave and gallant officer, an officer who was beloved by his men, and a true type of an American citizen and soldier, an honored member of the Grand Army of the Republic; his wife and children, a fond husband and devoted father; therefore, be it

"Resolved, That the veterans at this public meeting, convened for the installation of the officers of the G. A. R. of California and Nevada, do hereby extend to his bereaved wife and children our profound regret and sincere sympathy for their great loss, and trust that a grateful public will ever be mindful of the great debt it owes to the widow and orphans of the gallant dead, and to his memory erect a monument to his noble life and devotion to country and flag, that shall stand forever as a mark of recognition to his illustrious name.

"Resolved, That the resolutions be sent to the widow and children.

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SEMI-ANNUAL STATEMENT

The Oakland Bank of Savings

JANUARY 1, 1900

ASSETS

1 Cash on hand and in Banks.....	\$36,047 68
2 United States Government Bonds.....	1,395,000 00
3 Bonds secured by first mortgage on real estate within this State, and Municipal and other Bonds, Stocks and Warrants, the actual value of which is.....	1,770,249 5
4 Loans secured by Bonds and Stocks, and on personal security, the actual value of which is.....	643,212 93
5 Loans secured by first mortgage on real estate in this State, the actual value of which is.....	2,608,144 34
The location of Real Estate Loans is as follows:	
Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley.....	\$4,451,137 75
Alameda County.....	\$34,528 10
Colusa County.....	49,630 91
Contra Costa County.....	400 00
Fresno County.....	16,951 19
Glenn County.....	16,006 60
San Benito County.....	6,000 00
Solano County.....	32,250 00
Tulare County.....	1,200 00
Total Real Estate Loans.....	157,005 59
The Bonds, Certificates of Stock and other securities above referred to are kept and held as follows:	
In the Vaults of said corporation, Oakland, Cal.....	\$6,157,606 78
In the Vaults of the Mercantile Safe Deposit Co., New York City.....	265,000 00
6 Real Estate in the Counties of Alameda, Tulare, Fresno and Glenn, the actual value of which is.....	107,062 32
7 Bank Building and Lot (including Safe Deposit Vaults), corner Twelfth street and Broadway, Oakland, the actual value of which is.....	100,000 00
	\$7,009,716 78

LIABILITIES

1 To Depositors, said Corporation owes Deposits amounting to....	\$6,355,525 13
2 To Stockholders, the amount of the Capital Stock.....	480,000 00
3 Reserve and Contingent Funds.....	164,190 65
(The condition of said liability to stockholders is, that no part of this amount can be paid to them or in any way withdrawn until all depositors shall have been paid in full the amount of their deposits and declared dividends, except in payment of losses during the existence of the corporation.)	
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By ISAAC L. REQUA, President
and by W. W. GARTEWATE, Cashier

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ISAAC L. REQUA
W. W. GARTEWATE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of December, A. D., 1899.
W. F. KROEL, Notary Public in and for said Alameda County

Is Exposition to issue an elaborate catalogue of the State's exhibits. This catalogue will be out some time in February, and it will be a work of art that every Californian should secure as a souvenir. The commission also has in preparation a series of contour maps of California which will soon be issued.

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Justice's Court Suits.
Peter Downey has begun suit in Judge Stearns' court against N. Remillard to recover \$75 on a promissory note. J. Mitcheller has begun suit against N. J. Brooke to recover \$14, alleged to be due for merchandise sold.

Heaton & Hobson have brought suit against J. V. Brooks to recover \$14, alleged to be due for merchandise sold. Heaton & Hobson have been given an execution of sixty days against P. L. Stembert for \$10.

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